Meeting Agenda

City of Milpitas: Youth Advisory Commission

March 14, 2019 Youth Advisory Commission

Milpitas City Hall, 1st Floor Committee Room 455 E. Calaveras Blvd. Milpitas, CA 95035 **7:00 p.m.**

Founded April 1996. The Youth Advisory Commission (YAC) was established to advise the Council on matters pertaining to youth and teens in Milpitas. Commissioners must be in grades 7 through 12 and live in Milpitas. Members and alternates are appointed to one-year terms.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Flag Salute
- III. Roll Call: Claudia Wang, Christie Maly, Andrew Dinh, Aavani Sree,

Ravit Sharma, Aruna Doreswamy, Saniya Shrotiya

IV. Seating of Alternates: Saili Karkare, Yugam Satija, Fengyi Huang,

Meghana Ambalathingal

- V. Approval of Meeting Agenda: March 14, 2019
- **VI. Approval of Minutes:** February 14, 2019

VII. Public Forum

Members of the audience are invited to address the Commission on any subject not on tonight's agenda. Speakers must supply their name and address for the record and limit their comments to three minutes. Commissioners cannot respond to issues brought forward, but may request that the matter be placed on the agenda of a future meeting.

VIII. Announcements/Correspondence

IX. New Business

1. Youth Advisory Scholarship 2019

Background: Each term, the Youth Advisory Commission awards a service scholarship to a deserving Milpitas resident who is a high school student, Junior or Senior (out going) standing. The scholarship is \$500, and will be presented to the scholarship recipient at a June City Council Meeting. YAC members are not eligible for this scholarship.

Recommendation: Review draft template and supplemental questionnaire.

2. Upcoming Service Learning Club Opportunities

Background: Youth Advisory Commissioners volunteer at community events and service learning projects.

March 19: 5:00p.m-6:00p.m., CASSY Stress Management Workshop at Teen Center

March 23: 3:00p.m-6:00p.m., Hidden Lake Park Clean Up at Hidden Lake Park

March 30: 3:00p.m.-5:30p.m., Coding Competition at Teen Center

April 17: 5:00p.m.-6:00p.m., CASSY Mindfulness Workshop at Teen Center

April 20: 12:00p.m.-3:00p.m., Milpitas Food Pantry

Recommendation: Review availability of each Commissioner and discuss events.

3. LYFE Middle School Robotics Workshops

Background: Commissioner Ambalathingal has developed a robotics workshop program for middle school students.

Recommendation: Review her class program proposal and discuss funding the workshop with YAC funds.

X. Old Business

1. YAC t-shirts

Background: YAC has purchased t-shirts for all Commissioners. These items were worn when the Commission was out with the public (volunteering, events, etc.).

Recommendation: Distribute t-shirts to Commissioners

2. Coding Competition: In Depth Review of Event

Background: The Youth Advisory Commission's 2018/2019 approved Work Plan, has hosting a Coding Competition (Hack-A-Thon) event as an action item. A sub-committee was formed in October, 2019. The event is scheduled for March 30, 2019. See Attached Flyer. 12 participants are currently registered for this event.

Recommendation: Review program flyer and review the "Doodle," of availability. Review all Commissioner Assignments. Review all Coding Questions.

XI. City Council Liaison Report

XII. Future Agenda Items

XIII. Adjournment

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